

# Newington Local Emergency Planning Committee

<b>MINUTES</b>	OCTOBER 21, 2010	TIME: 2:00 PM	LOCATION: TOWN HALL CONFERENCE ROOM # 3
<b>MEETING CALLED BY</b>	<b>Chief Chris R. Schroeder</b> , introductions made at this time, due to new members from American Amateur Radio League.		
<b>MEMBERS PRESENT</b>	Brian Geherty, James Jehnings, , Rich Klett, Judy Torpey, Michael Morgan, Robert Hillman, Dave Woods, Jill Kendall, Chris R. Schroeder, Sherry Rusbarsky.		
<b>MEMBERS EXCUSED</b>	Chief Richard Mulhall, Tom Malloy, Steven Cordani, Jeff Baron		
<b>OTHERS PRESENT</b>	Ethel Kramer, Armando Landrian, Vincent Laianiello, Dan Interland		
<b>PREVIOUS MINUTES</b>	Approved by: <b>Geherty/Woods, D.</b>		
<b>CORRESPONDENCE</b>	Chief Richard Mulhall, Steven Cordani, Tom Malloy, Jeff Baron		
<b>SUBCOMMITTEE</b>	N/A		
<b>PUBLIC PARTICIPATION</b>	None		
<b>UNFINISHED BUSINESS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Lieutenant Morgan from NPD updated the committee on the testing of the Everbridge System. Two tests have been run, one on 10/6/10 with 24 members confirming receipt of the test and 1 unconfirmed. The other test was run on 7/6/10 with 18 confirming receipt and 4 unconfirmed. Judy Torpey from CCHD asked if the CCHD was part of that test and if they were responding? Lieutenant Morgan verified that CCHD was part of the test and was confirming.</li> <li>b. Judy Torpey of the CCHD stated that the flu clinics have begun and there is still time for those who haven't gotten their shot to get it. There are 4 dates still left and flyers are available to those who are interested.</li> </ul>		
<b>NEW BUSINESS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Judy Torpey stated that the Security Dispensing Plan is being updated. Supplies were moved from the Rocky Hill Veterans Home to the Wethersfield town hall with the possibility of the back-up being in Newington in the police armory.</li> <li>b. Armando Landrian from the Newington Amateur Radio League stated that the league would be participating in a state wide drill testing the radios on November 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> and would like the opportunity to work from the EOC. Lt. Morgan to coordinate the availability for the EOC for this test. Chief Schroeder also brought up the testing of the radios located in the Command Post and would coordinate on this portion.</li> <li>c. Brian Geherty brought up the status of the Newington CERT (Community Emergency Response Team). Chief Schroeder stated that at this time there are no plans to establish this. Ken Freidenberg stated that his department has trained volunteers in emergency sheltering. And Judy Torpey has a newsletter that goes out and could spread the word this way if we are looking to possibly start a multi-town CERT. ARES has trainers available if needed.</li> <li>d. Jill Kendall from SPX Precision Components questioned sheltering availability to workers at her plant. Chief Schroeder explained that there were options available</li> </ul>		

	<p>depending on short or long term emergency. Short term, school buses would be utilized and in long term, the Senior and Disabled Center, Recreation Center and the possibility of using Big Sky of the Progressive Insurance building.</p> <p>e. Next Meeting is scheduled for January 20, 2011</p>
MOTION TO ADJOURN	02:20 PM <b>Freidenberg/Geherty</b>